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**MS FEE AMENDMENT**  
PATENT  
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Appl. No.: 10/067,853 Group: 3679  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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May 29, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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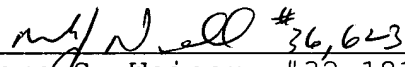
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- ☒ Petition for one (1) month(s) extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.17 and 1.136(a). \$110.00 for the extension of time.
- ☐ No fee is required.
- ☒ Check(s) in the amount of \$110.00 is(are) enclosed.
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Respectfully submitted,

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